

FORM 6-K
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

Report of Foreign Private Issuer

**Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16
of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

For the month of November 2005
Commission File Number 1-31318

Gold Fields Limited

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

24 St. Andrews Rd.
Parktown, 2193
South Africa

(Address of principal executive offices)

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**GOLD FIELDS**

MEDIA RELEASE

Executive Management Changes at Gold Fields

Johannesburg, November 17, 2005: Following a recent executive strategic review, Gold Fields Limited (GFI: JSE, NYSE), is pleased to announce the following changes to the Gold Fields executive committee and senior management:

John Munro, currently head of international operations will become head of corporate development where he will focus specifically on strategic development projects. As part of the executive team responsible for growth he will work alongside Jimmy Dowsley who remains head of business development and Craig Nelsen, who remains head of exploration.

Terence Goodlace, currently head of strategic planning, will take over from John as head of international operations. A new head of strategic planning will be appointed in due course.

Mike Prinsloo, currently head of South African operations, has accepted the newly created position of chief executive officer of the Gold Fields Academy, which will be renamed the Gold Fields Business and Leadership Academy. Mike has been tasked to build the Academy into an independent centre of excellence in education and training for the mining industry, with Gold Fields as its anchor client. Under Mike's guidance, the Academy is expected to significantly improve leadership capabilities throughout Gold Fields, an essential requirement for our campaign to achieve a 50% productivity improvement over the next five years. The Academy will also administer the Gold Fields management review and performance management processes. Koos Nel, currently head of human resources for the South African operations will join Mike Prinsloo at the Business Academy as Chief Operating Officer. His current position will be filled in due course.

Brendan Walker, currently country manager for Gold Fields in Ghana, will take over from Mike as head of South African operations. A new country manager for Ghana will be appointed in due course.

All of the changes will become effective on January 1, 2006, with the exception of the moves of Terence Goodlace and John Munro, which is with immediate effect.

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Information for Editors

Following the changes the Gold Fields Executive Committee will consist of the following people:

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| 1. Ian Cockerill | Chief executive officer |
| 2. Nick Holland | Chief financial officer |
| 3. Cain Farrel | Company secretary |
| 4. John Munro | Head of corporate development |
| 5. Jimmy Dowsley | Head of business development |
| 6. Craig Nelsen | Head of exploration |
| 7. Willie Jacobsz | Head of investor relations and corporate affairs |
| 8. James Nkosi | Head of transformation and human resources |
| 9. Terence Goodlace | Head of international operations |
| 10. Brendan Walker | Head of South African operations |

Signatures

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

GOLD FIELDS LIMITED

Date: 17 November 2005

By:

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Willie Jacobsz", written in a cursive style.

Name: Mr W J Jacobsz

Title: Senior Vice President: Investor
Relations and Corporate Affairs